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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in reply to the Office Action dated **October 15, 2002** for three months from **January 15, 2003** to **April 15, 2003**.

In lieu of filing a Notice of Appeal, Applicants' Attorney is filing a Request for Continued Examination concurrently herewith.

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